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For:

Low Power Fuse Structure and

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Method for Making the Same

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop: Amendment PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The present paper is being submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement Office Action dated August 4, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Election of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

I. Election

In the Office Action mailed August 4, 2005, the Examiner alleges that the application contains claims directed to two inventions and, thus, required restriction of either:

Group I: Claims 1-18, drawn to a semiconductor device; or

Group II: Claims 19-23, drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device.

In response, Applicants hereby elect Group I, corresponding to claims 1-18. Applicants' election is made with traverse on the grounds that the embodiments delineated by the Examiner are not patentably distinct and therefore constitute a single invention concept.